GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3725
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UNILATERAL CEASE FIRE
HOLKHOMANG HAOKIP

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government propose unilateral ceasefire in the entire North Eastern Region;

(b) if so, the steps taken by the Government so far in this direction; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

(SHRI I.D.SWAMI)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Government is committed to restoration of peace and has extended an invitation to all those who have strayed from the paths of togetherness to come forward for talks within the four corners of our Constitution. Many of the militant groups in the North East have, however, not yet responded for talks within the parameters indicated.